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## Trademark/Service Mark Application, Principal Register

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Input Field	Entered
<b>SERIAL NUMBER</b>	88647390
<b>MARK INFORMATION</b>	
<b>*MARK</b>	<a href="#">THE LITTLETON GROUP</a>
<b>STANDARD CHARACTERS</b>	YES
<b>USPTO-GENERATED IMAGE</b>	YES
<b>LITERAL ELEMENT</b>	THE LITTLETON GROUP
<b>MARK STATEMENT</b>	The mark consists of standard characters, without claim to any particular font style, size, or color.
<b>REGISTER</b>	Principal
<b>APPLICANT INFORMATION</b>	
<b>*OWNER OF MARK</b>	The Littleton Group Western Division, Inc.
<b>*STREET</b>	1250 S CAPITAL OF TEXAS HWY, BLDG 1
<b>*CITY</b>	WEST LAKE HILLS
<b>*STATE</b> (Required for U.S. applicants)	Texas
<b>*COUNTRY</b>	United States
<b>*ZIP/POSTAL CODE</b> (Required for U.S. and certain international addresses)	78746
<b>LEGAL ENTITY INFORMATION</b>	
<b>TYPE</b>	corporation
<b>STATE/COUNTRY OF INCORPORATION</b>	Texas
<b>GOODS AND/OR SERVICES AND BASIS INFORMATION</b>	
<b>INTERNATIONAL CLASS</b>	035
<b>*IDENTIFICATION</b>	Professional staffing services; Temporary personnel services; Temporary employment agencies; Employment staffing in the field of insurance; Employment agency services, namely, temporary placement of insurance professionals; Employment agency services, namely, filling the temporary and project staffing needs of businesses; Recruitment and placement of personnel in the field of insurance
<b>FILING BASIS</b>	SECTION 1(a)
<b>FIRST USE ANYWHERE DATE</b>	At least as early as 03/00/1999
<b>FIRST USE IN COMMERCE DATE</b>	At least as early as 03/00/1999

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SPECIMEN DESCRIPTION	screenshot from Applicant's website advertising the applied-for services and a screenshot from Applicant's website advertising assorted Class 35 personnel staffing services and providing means for client to contact Applicant to obtain services
INTERNATIONAL CLASS	036
*IDENTIFICATION	Insurance administration; Insurance claims administration; Insurance claims processing; Insurance subrogation; Insurance information; Insurance consultancy services, namely, providing advice in the field of property and casualty insurance; Insurance risk management; Assessing insurance claims; Insurance administration services, namely, assisting others with adjusting insurance claims; Claims adjustment in the field of insurance; Providing statistical evaluation of insurance claims performance measures for others; Appraisals for insurance claims of personal property; Appraisals for insurance claims of real estate; Electronic processing of insurance claims and payment data; Reimbursement payment processing in the field of insurance claims; Insurance services in the nature of loss control management for others
FILING BASIS	SECTION 1(a)
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SPECIMEN DESCRIPTION	screenshot from Applicant's website advertising assorted Class 36 insurance services and providing means for client to contact Applicant to obtain services
<b>ATTORNEY INFORMATION</b>	
NAME	Joshua M. Gerben, Esq.
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ATTORNEY BAR MEMBERSHIP NUMBER	XXX
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U.S. STATE/ COMMONWEALTH/ TERRITORY	XX
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<b>FEE INFORMATION</b>	
APPLICATION FILING OPTION	TEAS RF
NUMBER OF CLASSES	2
APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION PER CLASS	275
*TOTAL FEE DUE	550
*TOTAL FEE PAID	550
<b>SIGNATURE INFORMATION</b>	
SIGNATURE	/steve streetman/
SIGNATORY'S NAME	Steve Streetman
SIGNATORY'S POSITION	Chief Executive Officer
DATE SIGNED	10/07/2019

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### To the Commissioner for Trademarks:

**MARK:** THE LITTLETON GROUP (Standard Characters, see [mark](#))

The literal element of the mark consists of THE LITTLETON GROUP. The mark consists of standard characters, without claim to any particular font style, size, or color.

The applicant, The Littleton Group Western Division, Inc., a corporation of Texas, having an address of

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WEST LAKE HILLS, Texas 78746

United States

requests registration of the trademark/service mark identified above in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on the Principal Register established by the Act of July 5, 1946 (15 U.S.C. Section 1051 et seq.), as amended, for the following:

International Class 035: Professional staffing services; Temporary personnel services; Temporary employment agencies; Employment staffing in the field of insurance; Employment agency services, namely, temporary placement of insurance professionals; Employment agency services, namely, filling the temporary and project staffing needs of businesses; Recruitment and placement of personnel in the field of insurance

In International Class 035, the mark was first used by the applicant or the applicant's related company or licensee or predecessor in interest at least as early as 03/00/1999, and first used in commerce at least as early as 03/00/1999, and is now in use in such commerce. The applicant is submitting one(or more) specimen(s) showing the mark as used in commerce on or in connection with any item in the class of listed goods/services, consisting of a(n) screenshot from Applicant's website advertising the applied-for services and a screenshot from Applicant's website advertising assorted Class 35 personnel staffing services and providing means for client to contact Applicant to obtain services.

[Specimen File1](#)

[Specimen File2](#)

International Class 036: Insurance administration; Insurance claims administration; Insurance claims processing; Insurance subrogation; Insurance information; Insurance consultancy services, namely, providing advice in the field of property and casualty insurance; Insurance risk management; Assessing insurance claims; Insurance administration services, namely, assisting others with adjusting insurance claims; Claims adjustment in the field of insurance; Providing statistical evaluation of insurance claims performance measures for others; Appraisals for insurance claims of personal property; Appraisals for insurance claims of real estate; Electronic processing of insurance claims and payment data; Reimbursement payment processing in the field of insurance claims; Insurance services in the nature of loss control management for others

In International Class 036, the mark was first used by the applicant or the applicant's related company or licensee or predecessor in interest at least as early as 03/00/1999, and first used in commerce at least as early as 03/00/1999, and is now in use in such commerce. The applicant is submitting one(or more) specimen(s) showing the mark as used in commerce on or in connection with any item in the class of listed goods/services, consisting of a(n) screenshot from Applicant's website advertising assorted Class 36 insurance services and providing means for client to contact Applicant to obtain services.

[Specimen File1](#)

The applicant hereby appoints Joshua M. Gerben, Esq.. Other appointed attorneys are Eric Perrott, Esq., Christian Sado, Esq.. Joshua M. Gerben, Esq. of Gerben Law Firm, PLLC, is a member of the XX bar, admitted to the bar in XXXX, bar membership no. XXX, and the attorney(s) is located at

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The attorney docket/reference number is 08050-0001.

Joshua M. Gerben, Esq. submitted the following statement: The attorney of record is an active member in good standing of the bar of the highest

court of a U.S. state, the District of Columbia, or any U.S. Commonwealth or territory.

The applicant's current Correspondence Information:

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**Email Authorization:** I authorize the USPTO to send email correspondence concerning the application to the applicant, the applicant's attorney, or the applicant's domestic representative at the email address provided in this application. I understand that a valid email address must be maintained and that the applicant or the applicant's attorney must file the relevant subsequent application-related submissions via the Trademark Electronic Application System (TEAS). Failure to do so will result in the loss of TEAS Reduced Fee status and a requirement to submit an additional processing fee of \$125 per international class of goods/services.

A fee payment in the amount of \$550 has been submitted with the application, representing payment for 2 class(es).

#### Declaration

☒ **Basis:**

**If the applicant is filing the application based on use in commerce under 15 U.S.C. § 1051(a):**

- The signatory believes that the applicant is the owner of the trademark/service mark sought to be registered;
- The mark is in use in commerce on or in connection with the goods/services in the application;
- The specimen(s) shows the mark as used on or in connection with the goods/services in the application; and
- To the best of the signatory's knowledge and belief, the facts recited in the application are accurate.

**And/Or**

**If the applicant is filing the application based on an intent to use the mark in commerce under 15 U.S.C. § 1051(b), § 1126(d), and/or § 1126(e):**

- The signatory believes that the applicant is entitled to use the mark in commerce;
- The applicant has a bona fide intention to use the mark in commerce on or in connection with the goods/services in the application; and
- To the best of the signatory's knowledge and belief, the facts recited in the application are accurate.

☒ To the best of the signatory's knowledge and belief, no other persons, except, if applicable, concurrent users, have the right to use the mark in commerce, either in the identical form or in such near resemblance as to be likely, when used on or in connection with the goods/services of such other persons, to cause confusion or mistake, or to deceive.

☒ To the best of the signatory's knowledge, information, and belief, formed after an inquiry reasonable under the circumstances, the allegations and other factual contentions made above have evidentiary support.

☒ The signatory being warned that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001, and that such willful false statements and the like may jeopardize the validity of the application or submission or any registration resulting therefrom, declares that all statements made of his/her own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

#### Declaration Signature

Signature: /steve streetman/ Date: 10/07/2019

Signatory's Name: Steve Streetman

Signatory's Position: Chief Executive Officer

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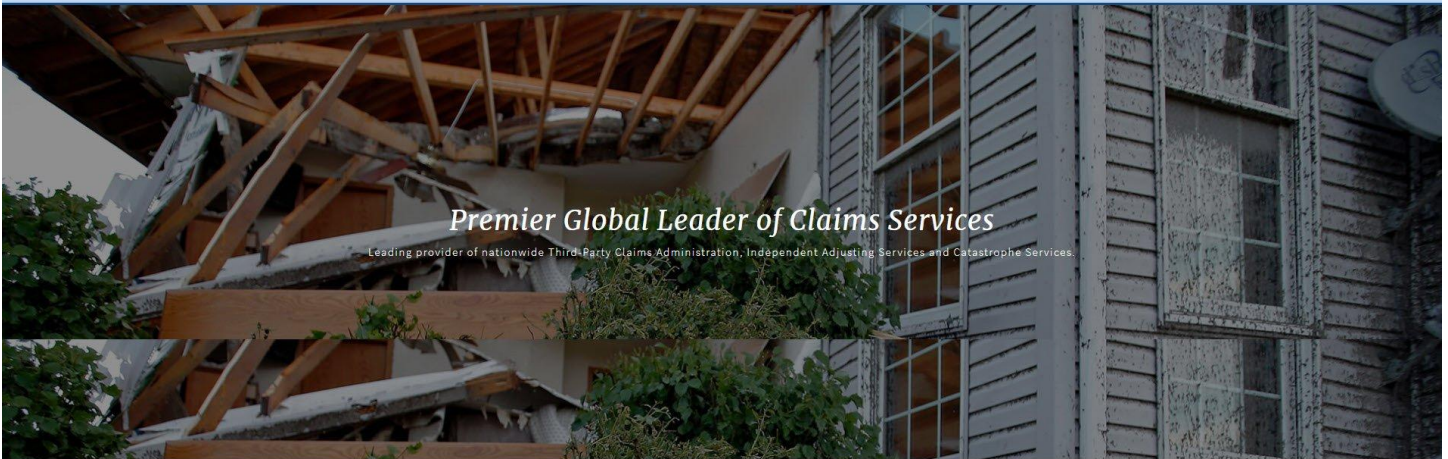
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The Littleton Group has over 22 individual office locations throughout Texas, New Mexico and Arkansas and a network of adjusters throughout the United States. If you need assistance with a claim, please contact us and we will ensure your claim needs are met.



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The Littleton Group provides TPA claims services for multiple lines of business throughout the United States and its territories. If you are looking for a TPA to help transform your current program or launching a new program, Littleton is here to help.



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Littleton provides nationwide adjusting services for all types of residential and commercial property. Our adjusters are skilled in wind, hail, earthquake, fire and flood losses and are ready to assist at a moment's notice. Please contact us and we will work with you to provide the CAT solution for your needs.



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#### TEMPORARY AND PROJECT STAFFING

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## Temporary and Project Staffing

The Littleton Group offers quality claims related temporary and project staffing solutions for insurance organizations across the country. We are experienced in quickly recruiting highly skilled property and casualty insurance professionals to fill a diverse range of needs required by our clients. Our rates are very competitive and can be provided on a daily or hourly basis. Additionally, all temporary and project staffing clients will be provided an account manager who will be available at any time to facilitate any needs as requested. Our staffing solutions include the following areas of emphasis:

- **Temporary Staffing** - We provide temporary staffing services for a wide range of circumstances, which may include rapid growth, employee turnover, a catastrophe setting, etc. We specialize in recruiting experienced insurance adjusters in the fields of auto (personal & commercial), property (residential & commercial), general liability and workers' compensation. Most commonly, the temporary insurance professionals are placed and trained at our client's office, but we can also arrange an interim work space for the temporary staff. If the client wishes to retain the services of a temporary employee for the long term, we can provide a temp to hire option as well. We are flexible in providing staffing solutions that cater to the needs of our clients. If you are interested in having The Littleton Group assist with your staffing needs, please do not hesitate to reach out to us.
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## Independent Claims Services

With 22 individual office locations, The Littleton Group offers the most comprehensive territorial coverage for independent adjusting services throughout the states of Texas, New Mexico and Arkansas.

With an average adjuster experience level of 19 years and turnover at less than 3%, The Littleton Group ensures a level of expertise unrivaled in the industry. Unlike many of our competitors, our independent adjusters are full time employees and not independent contractors, which allows for a more reliable and professional product.

We provide all levels of service from limited task assignments to comprehensive claims handling. Additionally, we offer competitive pricing with aggressive claims adjudication geared toward prompt resolution. Our reporting is expeditious and thorough, while keeping our clients current on new claims developments. The list below provides a brief overview of our areas of expertise;

- Casualty
- Non-subscription ERISA employer plans
- Fire & Allied Lines
- Property
- Marine Liability
- Mobile Homes
- General Liability
- Appraisals
- Truck & Heavy Equipment
- Professional Liability
- Catastrophe
- Transportation
- Workers' Compensation
- Automobile Physical Damage

If you wish to submit a new independent adjusting assignment, please [CLICK HERE](#). Additionally, if you have any questions relating to our independent adjusting service, please do hesitate to call us at [1-877-467-1757](tel:1-877-467-1757)

The Littleton Group also offers 24-hour emergency services for commercial trucking related accidents. For assistance with a commercial trucking related loss outside of normal business hours, please contact us at [1 1-800-404-2908](tel:1-800-404-2908) and we will provide you with immediate assistance.